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## EERLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

### MARRIAGES BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND INFECTIOUS DISEASES

## CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT

### WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 3rd January 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 3rd January 1959, the births of 911 living children, and of 21 stillborn children, 708 marriages and 731 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 18.3 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 14.2 and the death-rate 14.7. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 23 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate of the week is 0.1 more than in the previous week, but 2.8 below the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 4.7 more than in the previous week, and 1.2 above the average. The death-rate is 0.9 more than in the previous week, and 0.3 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 21.5 in Hamilton and 20.8 in Airdrie to 8.7 in Motherwell & Wishaw and 8.3 in Clydebank. In Glasgow the rate was 15.4 and in Edinburgh 13.6.

There was I death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to meningococcal septicæmia.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 10, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—the same as in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 69, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.4 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.7 less than in the previous week, and 0.2 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 27, being 15 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 11 were aged 0-6 days and 3 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 470, and are 42 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to causes other than natural causes numbered 27, and are 8 fewer < than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in [43] Scotland during the period (two weeks) ended 30th December 1958, was 36,130. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 39.1° being 0.9° below that for the previous week, and 0.1° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.46 inches, and the mean sunshine 8.5 hours.

NOTE: The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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17 Towns, Weekended

3rd Jan. 1959

27th Dec. 1958

4th Jan. 1958

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15. Hamilto
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17. Airdrie

|| Estimated population at 31st December 1956.

; Weekly means. + Weekly extremes. area served by these offices.

<sup>\*\*</sup> These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward

OF HEALWEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

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# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES

## NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT

WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 10th January 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 10th January 1959, the births of 1,255 living children, and of 31 stillborn children, 311 marriages and 833 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 25.2 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 6.2 and the death-rate 16.7. The number of still-births corresponds to a rate of 24 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate of the week is 6.9 more than in the previous week, and 5.1 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 8.0 less than in the previous week, but 0.7 above the average. The death-rate is 2.0 more than in the previous week, and 1.8 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 22.5 in Falkirk to 8.9 in Hamilton. In Glasgow the rate was 17.5 and in Edinburgh 17.8.

As in the previous week there was I death from the principal epidemic diseases—due to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 13, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—3 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 104, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2.1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.7 more than in the previous week, and 0.3 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 35, being 8 more than in the previous week. Of these, 19 were aged 0-6 days and 5 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 510, and are 40 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to causes other than natural causes numbered 41, and are 14 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 6th January 1959, was 13,691. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 30.7° being 8.4° below that for the previous week, and 8.3° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.15 inch, and the mean sunshine 19.5 hours.

Note: The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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<sup>\*\*</sup> These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by these offices.

### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

## BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 17th January 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 17th January 1959, the births of 1,048 living children, and of 29 stillborn children, 211 marriages and 872 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 21.0 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 4.2 and the death-rate 17.5. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 27 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate of the week is 4.2 less than in the previous week, but 1.4 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 2.0 less than in the previous week, and 0.5 below the average. The death-rate is 0.8 more than in the previous week, and 2.0 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 20.5 in Perth and 19.0 in Hamilton to 12.8 in Airdrie and 11.0 in Kirkcaldy. In Glasgow the rate was 18.5 and in Edinburgh 18.1.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases numbered 5 and are 4 more than in the previous week. Four were due to influenza and one to measles.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 14, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—1 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 121, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2.4 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.3 more than in the previous week, and 0.6 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 42, being 7 more than in the previous week. Of these, 23 were aged 0-6 days and 6 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 573, and are 63 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to causes other than natural causes numbered 30, and are 11 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 13th January 1959, was 28,806. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 31.3° being 0.6° above that for the previous week, but 6.5° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.28 inch, and the mean sunshine 11.8 hours.

NOTE: The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 17th JANUARY 1959

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# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES

## NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT

WEATHER REPORT Week ended 24th January 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 24th January 1959, the births of 1179 living children, and of 26 stillborn children, 204 marriages and 894 deaths. In the case of births, still-births and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 23.7 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 4.1 and the death-rate 17.9. The number of still-births corresponds to a rate of 22 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate of the week is 2.7 more than in the previous week, and 4.7 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.1 less than in the previous week, and 1.0 below the average. The death-rate is 0.4 more than in the previous week, and 2.7 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 21.5 in Hamilton to 8.0 in Airdrie. In Glasgow the rate was 20.1 and in Edinburgh 17.5.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases numbered 2 and are 3 fewer than in the previous week. They were due to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 21, of which 20 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 7 more than in the previous week, and respiratory 6 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 129, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2.6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.2 more than in the previous week, and 0.7 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 48, being 6 more than in the previous week. Of these, 26 were aged 0-6 days and 4 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 581, and are 8 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to causes other than natural causes numbered 35, and are 5 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 20th January 1959, was 25,900. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 36.9° being 5.6° above that for the previous week, but 2.4° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.68 inch, and the mean sunshine 16.2 hours.

Note: The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

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No. 4

RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 24th JANUARY 1959 RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 20th JANUARY 1959

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\* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland. || Estimated population at 31st December 1956. i Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

<sup>\*\*</sup> These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward ; Weekly means. † Weekly extremes. area served by these offices.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 31st January 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 31st January 1959, the births of 1,069 living children, and of 22 stillborn children, 229 marriages and 861 deaths. In the case of births, still-births and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 21.4 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 4.6 and the death-rate 17.3. The number of still-births corresponds to a rate of 20 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate of the week is 2.3 less than in the previous week, but 1.6 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.5 more than in the previous week, but 2.0 below the average. The death-rate is 0.6 less than in the previous week, but 1.9 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 21.8 in Motherwell & Wishaw to 7.7 in Perth. In Glasgow the rate was 19.4 and in Edinburgh 18.4.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases numbered 9 and are 7 more than in the previous week. One was due to meningococcal meningitis and 8 to influenza

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 9, of which 8 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. The number in each case is 12 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 183, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3.7 per thousand. This death-rate is 1.1 more than in the previous week, and 1.8 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 29, being 19 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 12 were aged 0-6 days and 4 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 560, and are 21 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to causes other than natural causes numbered 32, and are 3 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 27th January 1959, was 25,019. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 34.3° being 2.6° below that for the previous week, and 4.6° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.13 inch, and the mean sunshine 18.9 hours.

Note: The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

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# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 7th February 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 7th February 1959, the births of 939 living children, and of 21 stillborn children, 346 marriages and 996 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 18.8 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 6.9 and the death-rate 20.0. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 22 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate of the week is 2.6 less than in the previous week, and 0.3 below the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 2.3 more than in the previous week, but 0.1 below the average. The death-rate is 2.7 more than in the previous week, and 4.7 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 26.1 in Dundee to 10.4 in Clydebank. In Glasgow the rate was 20.3 and in Edinburgh 23.1.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases numbered 13 and are 4 more than in the previous week. One was due to measles and 12 to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 16, of which 15 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. The number in each case is 7 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 245, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 4.9 per thousand. This death-rate is 1.2 more than in the previous week, and 3.1 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 38, being 9 more than in the previous week. Of these, 21 were aged 0-6 days and 7 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 644, and are 84 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to causes other than natural causes numbered 31, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 3rd February 1959, was 29,961. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 31.4° being 2.9° below that for the previous week, and 7.3° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.02 inch, and the mean sunshine 10.6 hours.

Note: The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERALOF HEALTH
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 14th February 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 14th February 1959, the births of 1,092 living children, and of 23 stillborn children, 446 marriages and 1,146 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 21.9 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 8.9 and the death-rate 23.0. The number of still-births corresponds to a rate of 21 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate of the week is 3.1 more than in the previous week, and 2.1 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 2.0 more than in the previous week, and 0.1 above the average. The death-rate is 3.0 more than in the previous week, and 8.2 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 34.0 in Dundee and 26.2 in Ayr to 11.5 in Aberdeen and 11.2 in Dunfermline. In Glasgow the rate was 25.3 and in Edinburgh 24.7.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases numbered 31 and are 18 more than in the previous week. They include 1 from meningococcal meningitis, 1 from measles and 29 from influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 14, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 2 fewer than in the previous week, and respiratory I fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 286, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 5.7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.8 more than in the previous week, and 4.0 above the average.

Deaths of children agod less than one year numbered 43, being 5 more than in the previous week. Of these, 27 were aged 0-6 days and 4 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 761, and are 117 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to causes other than natural causes numbered 30, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 10th February 1959, was 43,163. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 37.1° being 5.7° above that for the previous week, but 1.3° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.28 inch, and the mean sunshine 3.8 hours.

Note: The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 21st February 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 21st February 1959, the births of 1,012 living children, and of 25 stillborn children, 300 marriages and 1,023 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.2 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 6.0 and the death-rate 20.4. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 24 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.6 less than in the previous week, but 0.9 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 2.9 less than in the previous week, and 4.7 below the average. The death-rate is 2.5 less than in the previous week, but 5.9 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 31.7 in Dundee and 26.6 in Perth to 11.2 in Clydebank and 4.7 in Airdrie. In Glasgow the rate was 20.1 and in Edinburgh 22.3.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases numbered 27 and are 4 fewer than in the previous week. They were due to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 11, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—3 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 206, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 4.1 per thousand. This death-rate is 1.6 less than in the previous week, but 2.4 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 36, being 7 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 16 were aged 0-6 days and 2 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 694, and are 67 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to causes other than natural causes numbered 36, and are 6 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 17th February 1959, was 53,716. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 42.8° being 5.7° above that for the previous week, and 3.7° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.26 inch, and the mean sunshine 16.7 hours.

Notes.—(i) The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

(ii) The rates for this return have been calculated on the estimated population as at 31st December 1958 which is now available. The rates published for the preceding weeks of 1959 have been corrected to the new population figures.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 28th February 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 28th February 1959, the births of 1,014 living children, and of 25 stillborn children, 291 marriages and 1,028 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.3 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 5.8 and the death-rate 20.5. The number of still-births corresponds to a rate of 24 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate of the week is 0.1 more than in the previous week, and 1.0 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.2 less than in the previous week, and 5.2 below the average. The death-rate is 0.1 more than in the previous week, and 5.0 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 29.4 in Ayr and 25.3 in Kilmarnock to 9.3 in Motherwell & Wishaw and 6.3 in Airdrie. In Glasgow

the rate was 19.9 and in Edinburgh 23.9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases numbered 58 and are 31 more than in the previous week. One was due to meningococcal meningitis and the remainder to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 16, all of which were from

tuberculosis of the respiratory system—5 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 189, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3.8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.3 less than in the previous week, but 1.9 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 39, being 3 more than in the previous week. Of these, 21 were aged 0-6 days and 7 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 719, and are 25 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to causes other than natural causes numbered 27, and are 9 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 24th February 1959, was 50,317. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 46.8° being 4.0° above that for the previous week, and 6.6° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.66 inch, and the mean sunshine 7.2 hours.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 28th FEBRUARY 1959

RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 24th FEBRUARY 1959

<sup>\*\*</sup> These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance area served by these offices. Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisonally corrected by transfer || Estimated population at 31st December 1957. to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward . Weekly means. † Weekly extremes.

### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL OF HEALTH SCOTLAND LIBRARY

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended Saturday, 7th March 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 7th March 1959, the births of 1,082 living children, and of 25 stillborn children, 414 marriages and 860 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 21.6 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 8.3 and the death-rate 17.2. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 23 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.3 more than in the previous week, and 1.4 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 2.5 more than in the previous week, but 4.7 below the average. The death-rate is 3.3 less than in the previous week, but 3.5 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 25.1 in Falkirk to 8.6 in Motherwell & Wishaw. In Glasgow the rate was 17.7 and in Edinburgh 20.0.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases numbered 28 and are 30 fewer than in the previous week. They were due to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 9, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—7 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 145, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2.9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.9 less than in the previous week, but 1.4 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 34, being 5 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 19 were aged 0-6 days and 4 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 583, and are 136 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to causes other than natural causes numbered 30, and are 3 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 3rd March 1959, was 40,438. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 44.7° being 2.1° below that for the previous week, but 5.1° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.43 inch, and the mean sunshine 11.9 hours.

# RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified to the Department of Health for Scotland WEEKLY

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\*\*These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area correct by these offices.

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### BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES

#### NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT

#### WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 14th March 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 14th March 1959, the births of 1,033 living children, and of 22 stillborn children, 558 marriages and 737 deaths. In the case of births, still-births and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.6 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 11.2 and the death-rate 14.7. The number of still-births corresponds to a rate of 21 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.0 less than in the previous week, but 0.7 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 2.9 more than in the previous week, but 0.8 below the average. The death-rate is 2.5 less than in the previous week, but 1.3 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 19.8 in Aberdeen to 6.7 in Dunfermline. In Glasgow the rate was 14.5 and in Edinburgh 18.8.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases numbered 31 and are 3 more than in the previous week. Two deaths were due to measles and the remainder to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 8, of which 7 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms were 1 fewer than in the previous week and respiratory 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 104, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2.1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.8 less than in the previous week, but 0.7 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 34, being the same as in the previous week. Of these, 24 were aged 0-6 days and 2 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 485, and are 98 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to causes other than natural causes numbered 25, and are 5 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 10th March 1959, was 31,103. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 42.8° being 1.9° below that for the previous week, but 1.8° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.68 inch, and the mean sunshine 14.4 hours.

WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified to the Department of Health for Scotland

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 14th MARCH 1959

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### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 21st March 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 21st March 1959, the births of 1,120 living children, and of 27 stillborn children, 598 marriages and 753 deaths. In the case of births, still-births and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 22.4 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 12.0 and the death-rate 15.1. The number of still-births corresponds to a rate of 24 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.8 more than in the previous week, and 2.2 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.8 more than in the previous week, but 5.9 below the average. The death-rate is 0.4 more than in the previous week, and 1.3 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 22.7 in Greenock to 10.1 in Motherwell & Wishaw. In Glasgow the rate was 14.0 and in Edinburgh 15.4.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases numbered 17 and are 14 fewer than in the previous week. All were due to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 11, of which 10 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. The number in each case is 3 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 81, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.5 less than in the previous week, but 0.2 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 42, being 8 more than in the previous week. Of these, 26 were aged 0-6 days and 5 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 472, and are 13 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence (i.e deaths not due to natural causes) numbered 38, and are 13 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 17th March 1959, was 25,896. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 41.8° being 1.0° below that for the previous week, but 1.0° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.01 inch, and the mean sunshine 28.4 hours.

WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified to the Department of Health for Scotland

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 21st MARCH 1959

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### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL Promotion SCOTLAND OF HEALTH

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## BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT

Week ended 28th March 1959

WEATHER REPORT

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 28th March 1959, the births of 975 living children, and of 18 stillborn children, 878 marriages and 710 deaths. In the case of births, still-births and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 19.5 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 17.5 and the death-rate 14.2. The number of still-births corresponds to a rate of 18 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 2.9 less than in the previous week, and 0.9 below the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 5.5 more than in the previous week, but 9.1 below the average. The death-rate is 0.9 less than in the previous week, but 1.1 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 19.9 in Kirkcaldy and 19.0 in Aberdeen to 7.2 in Motherwell & Wishaw and 2.9 in Coatbridge. In Glasgow the rate was 14.1 and in Edinburgh 15.0.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases numbered 14 and are 3 fewer than in the previous week. One was due to meningococcal meningitis, and the remainder to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 9, of which 7 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 2 fewer than in the previous week and respiratory 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 89, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.2 more than in the previous week, and 0.5 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 36, being 6 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 20 were aged 0–6 days and 4 were aged 7–27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 434, and are 38 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence (i.e. deaths not due to natural causes) numbered 30, and are 8 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 24th March 1959, was 21,445. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 46.4° being 4.6° above that for the previous week, and 4.1° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901–1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.45 inch, and the mean sunshine 25.7 hours.

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### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

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# INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 4th April 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 4th April 1959, the births of 1,184 living children, and of 20 stillborn children, 1,485 marriages and 666 deaths. In the case of births, still-births and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 23.7 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 29.7 and the death-rate 13.3. The number of still-births corresponds to a rate of 17 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 4.2 more than in the previous week, and 3.7 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 12.2 more than in the previous week and 1.7 above the average. The death-rate is 0.9 less than in the previous week, but 0.3 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 17.6 in Hamilton to 6.3 in Airdrie. In Glasgow the rate was 14.4 and in Edinburgh 16.2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases numbered 7 and are 7 fewer than in the previous week. They were due to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 6, of which 5 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 3 fewer than in the previous week and respiratory 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 73, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.3 less than in the previous week, but 0.2 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 41, being 5 more than in the previous week. Of these, 31 were aged 0–6 days and none was aged 7–27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 454, and are 20 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence (i.e. deaths not due to natural causes) numbered 25, and are 5 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 31st March 1959, was 18,280. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 47.0° being 0.6° above that for the previous week, and 3.9° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.39 inch, and the mean sunshine 25.2 hours.

# RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

notified to the Department of Health for Scotland

1959

4th April

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 4th APRIL 1959

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\* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisonally corrected by transfer || Estimated population at 31st December 1957. § Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza. to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

\*\* These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward . Weekly means. † Weekly extremes. area served by these offices.

### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENTRAL CONTINUES OF HEALTH

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## BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES

### NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 11th April 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 11th April 1959, the births of 992 living children, and of 26 stillborn children, 1,085 marriages and 660 deaths. In the case of births, still-births and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 19.8 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 21.7 and the death-rate 13.2. The number of still-births corresponds to a rate of 26 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 3.9 less than in the previous week, but 0.6 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 8.0 less than in the previous week, but 13.0 above the average. The death-rate is 0.1 less than in the previous week, but 1.0 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 18.5 in Aberdeen to 6.3 in Airdrie. In Glasgow the rate was 12.5 and in Edinburgh 14.4.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases numbered 12 and are 5 more than in the previous week. One death was due to meningococcal septicæmia, 1 to measles and the remainder to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 6, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are the same as in the previous week but respiratory 1 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 70, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.4 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 less than in the previous week, but 0.3 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 37, being 4 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 21 were aged 0-6 days and 4 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 414, and are 40 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence (i.e. deaths not due to natural causes) numbered 24, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 7th April 1959, was 18,370. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 43.0° being 4.0° below that for the previous week, and 1.0° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.86 inch, and the mean sunshine 29.3 hours.

# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified to the Department of Health for Scotland

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 11th APRIL 1959

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§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

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# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 18th April 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 18th April 1959, the births of 1,016 living children, and of 34 stillborn children, 268 marriages and 583 deaths. In the case of births, still-births and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.3 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 5.4 and the death-rate 11.7. The number of still-births corresponds to a rate of 32 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.5 more than in the previous week, and 1.0 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 16.3 less than in the previous week, but 0.3 above the average. The death-rate is 1.5 less than in the previous week, and 0.8 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 16.5 in Motherwell & Wishaw to 6.1 in Clydebank. In Glasgow the rate was 12.2 and in Edinburgh 11.8.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases numbered 2 and are 10 fewer than in the previous week. They were due to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 9, of which 8 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 3 more than in the previous week and respiratory 2 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 41, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.6 less than in the previous week, and 0.1 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 42, being 5 more than in the previous week. Of these, 23 were aged 0-6 days and 3 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 355, and are 59 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence (i.e. deaths not due to natural causes) numbered 26, and are 2 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 14th April 1959, was 16,550. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 50.9° being 7.9° above that for the previous week, and 6.5° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.36 inch, and the mean sunshine 32.0 hours.

# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified to the Department of Health for Scotland

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 18th APRIL 1959 RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 14th APRIL 1959

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<sup>\*\*</sup> These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward : Weekly means. Weekly extremes. area served by these offices. \* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisonally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scatlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 25th April 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 25th April 1959, the births of 1,100 living children, and of 27 stillborn children, 157 marriages and 593 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 22.0 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 3.1 and the death-rate 11.9. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 24 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.7 more than in the previous week, and 0.5 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 2.3 less than in the previous week, and 2.0 below the average. The death-rate is 0.2 more than in the previous week, but 0.5 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 18.6 in Coatbridge to 6.0 in Kirkcaldy. In Glasgow the rate was 11.8 and in Edinburgh 13.5.

There was I death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to meningococcal septicaemia.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 7, of which 5 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 2 fewer than in the previous week and respiratory 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 51, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.0 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.2 more than in the previous week, and 0.1 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 35, being 7 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 24 were aged 0-6 days and 2 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 377, and are 42 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence (i.e. deaths not due to natural causes) numbered 35, and are 9 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 21st April 1959, was 15,592. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 48.9° being 2.0° below that for the previous week, but 3.0° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.77 inch, and the mean sunshine 27.5 hours.

# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified to the Department of Health for Scotland

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 25th APRIL 1959

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§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influence. || Estimated population at 31st December 1957.

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### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR CENTRALH SCOTLAND LIBRARY

## BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT

WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 2nd May 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 2nd May 1959, the births of 1,034 living children, and of 17 stillborn children, 223 marriages and 528 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.7 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 4.5 and the death-rate 10.6. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 16 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.3 less than in the previous week, and 0.5 below the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 1.4 more than in the previous week, but 0.5 below the average. The death-rate is 1.3 less than in the previous week, and 1.0 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 16.1 in Paisley to 5.9 in Coatbridge. In Glasgow the rate was 10.6 and in Edinburgh 9.7.

There was one death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to meningococcal meningitis.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 5, of which 4 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 2 fewer than in the previous week and respiratory 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 45, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 less than in the previous week, but the same as the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 21, being 14 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 12 were aged 0-6 days and 2 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 325, and are 52 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence (i.e. deaths not due to natural causes) numbered 30, and are 5 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 28th April 1959, was 15,076. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 46.3° being 2.6° below that for the previous week, but the same as the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.76 inch, and the mean sunshine 32.7 hours.

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#### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

### BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 9th May 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 9th May 1959, the births of 1,059 living children, and of 16 stillborn children, 125 marriages and 569 deaths. In the case of births, still-births and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 21.2 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 2.5 and the death-rate 11.4. The number of still-births corresponds to a rate of 15 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.5 more than in the previous week, and 0.9 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 2.0 less than in the previous week, and 0.4 below the average. The death-rate is 0.8 more than in the previous week, but 0.2 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 16.9 in Dunfermline to 5.7 in Kilmarnock. In Glasgow the rate was 11.6 and in Edinburgh

There were 2 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases. One was due to meningococcal septicaemia and the other to measles.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 3, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 2 fewer than in the previous week and respiratory 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 39, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 less than in the previous week, but the same as the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 29, being 8 more than in the previous week. Of these, 17 were aged 0-6 days and 3 were aged 7–27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 351, and are 26 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence (i.e. deaths not due to natural causes) numbered 26, and are 4 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 5th May 1959, was 14,609. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 48.2° being 1.9° above that for the previous week, and 0.6° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901–1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.20 inch, and the mean sunshine 59.0 hours.

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#### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND LIBRARY

### BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 16th May 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 16th May 1959, the births of 1,096 living children, and of 19 stillborn children, 132 marriages and 558 deaths. In the case of births, still-births and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 21.9 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 2.6 and the death-rate 11.2. The number of still-births corresponds to a rate of 17 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.7 more than in the previous week, and 2.2 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.1 more than in the previous week, but 0.4 below the average. The death-rate is 0.2 less than in the previous week, but the same as the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 22.3 in Falkirk to 7.6 in Perth. In Glasgow the rate was 11.7 and in Edinburgh 10.8.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 4, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—1 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 38, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.8 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, and the same as the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 26, being 3 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 11 were aged 0-6 days and 5 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 340, and are 11 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence (i.e. deaths not due to natural causes) numbered 34, and are 8 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 12th May 1959, was 14,659. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 56.7° being 8.5° above that for the previous week, and 6.7° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.39 inch, and the mean sunshine 38.5 hours.

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#### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

### BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 23rd May 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 23rd May 1959, the births of 1,050 living children, and of 16 stillborn children, 169 marriages and 486 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 21.0 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 3.4 and the death-rate 9.7. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 15 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.9 less than in the previous week, but 1.6 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.8 more than in the previous week, and 0.1 above the average. The death-rate is 1.5 less than in the previous week, and 1.8 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 13.3 in Clydebank to 4.5 in Dunfermline. In Glasgow the rate was 9.9 and in Edinburgh 9.3.

There was 1 death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to measles. Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 6, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—2 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 27, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.3 less than in the previous week, and 0.2 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 24, being 2 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 16 were aged 0-6 days and 3 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 292, and are 48 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence (i.e. deaths not due to natural causes) numbered 25, and are 9 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 19th May 1959, was 14,365. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 51.6° being 5.1° below that for the previous week, and 0.2° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.11 inch, and the mean sunshine 41.4 hours.

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#### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

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### BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 30th May 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 30th May 1959, the births of 974 living children, and of 22 stillborn children, 173 marriages and 590 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 19.5 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 3.5 and the death-rate 11.8. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 22 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.5 less than in the previous week, and 0.8 below the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.1 more than in the previous week, but 1.6 below the average. The death-rate is 2.1 more than in the previous week, and 0.6 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 16.5 in Perth to 3.2 in Airdrie. In Glasgow the rate was 12.3 and in Edinburgh 11.2.

The was 1 death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to meningo-coccal septicaemia.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 5, of which 3 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 1 fewer than in the previous week, and respiratory 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 42, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.3 more than in the previous week, and 0.1 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 31, being 7 more than in the previous week. Of these, 16 were aged 0–6 days and 2 were aged 7–27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 368, and are 76 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence (i.e. deaths not due to natural causes) numbered 20, and are 5 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 26th May 1959, was 13,642. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 56.7° being 5.1° above that for the previous week, and 2.9° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901–1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.01 inch, and the mean sunshine 52.1 hours.

# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified to the Department of Health for Scotland

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#### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

#### BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES

#### NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT

#### WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 6th June 1959

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 6th June 1959, the births of 974 living children, and of 21 stillborn children, 319 marriages and 491 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 19.5 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 6.4 and the death-rate 9.8. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 21 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is the same as in the previous week, but 0.3 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 2.9 more than in the previous week, but 3.5 below the average. The death-rate is 2.0 less than in the previous week,

and 1.0 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 15.3 in Ayr to 6.0 in Kirkcaldy. In Glasgow the rate was 9.3 and in Edinburgh 10.4.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 7, of which 6 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 2 more than in the previous week and respiratory 3 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 28, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.2 less than in the previous week, and 0.1 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 24, being 7 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 13 were aged 0–6 days and 3 were aged 7–27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 292, and are 76 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence (i.e. deaths not due to natural causes) numbered 20, and are the same as in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 2nd June 1959, was 13,863. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 55.5° being 1.2° below that for the previous week, but 1.2° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901–1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.93 inch, and the mean sunshine 35.9 hours.

# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified to the Department of Health for Scotland

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 6th JUNE 1959

RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 2nd JUNE 1959

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§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza. \* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisonally corrected by transfer

\*\* These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward .. Weekly means. , Weekly extremes. area served by these offices. WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL TO Promotion SCOTLAND

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## INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 13th June 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 13th June 1959, the births of 1,075 living children, and of 25 stillborn children, 501 marriages and 536 deaths. In the case of births, still-births and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 21.5 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 10.0 and the death-rate 10.7. The number of still-births corresponds to a rate of 23 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate of the week is 2.0 more than in the previous week, and 2.6 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 3.6 more than in the previous week, and 1.0 above the average. The death-rate is 0.9 more than in the previous week, and 0.2 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 14.9 in Kilmar-nock to 3.2 in Airdrie. In Glasgow the rate was 10.6 and in Edinburgh 13.1.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 2, both of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 5 fewer than in the previous week and respiratory 4 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 33, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 more than in the previous week, and 0.1 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 32, being 8 more than in the previous week. Of these, 19 were aged 0–6 days and 4 were aged 7–27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 313, and are 21 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence (i.e. deaths not due to natural causes) numbered 20, and are the same as in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 9th June 1959, was 13,783. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 55.7° being 0.2° above that for the previous week, and 1.1° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901–1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.57 inch, and the mean sunshine 46.4 hours.

# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 13th JUNE 1959

RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 9th JUNE 1959

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<sup>\*\*</sup> These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward . Weekly means. . Weekly extremes. area served by these offices. || Estimated population at 31st December 1957. \* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisonally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland. || Estimated population at 31st December 1957. |

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

#### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

OF HEALTH

### BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 20th June 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 20th June 1959, the births of 989 living children, and of 19 stillborn children, 320 marriages and 517 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 19.8 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 6.4 and the death-rate 10.3. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 19 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.7 less than in the previous week, but 0.8 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 3.6 less than in the previous week, and 2.6 below the average. The death-rate is 0.4 less than in the previous week, and 0.3 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 21.6 in Perth to 1.6 in Airdrie. In Glasgow the rate was 9.9 and in Edinburgh 11.8.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 4, of which 3 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 2 more than in the previous week and respiratory 1 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 28, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 less than in the previous week, but the same as the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 27, being 5 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 19 were aged 0-6 days and 1 was aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 320, and are 7 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 19, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 16th June 1959, was 13,777. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 56.5° being 0.8° above that for the previous week, and 1.1° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.03 inch, and the mean sunshine 72.0 hours.

# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified to the Department of Health for Scotland

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 20th JUNE 1959

RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 16th JUNE 1959

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\*\* These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by these offices.

† Weekly extremes.

#### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

## BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 27th June 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 27th June 1959, the births of 1088 living children, and of 23 stillborn children, 450 marriages and 493 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 21.7 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 9.0 and the death-rate 9.9. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 21 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.9 more than in the previous week, and 2.8 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 2.6 more than in the previous week, but 1.7 below the average. The death-rate is 0.4 less than in the previous week, and 0.3 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 14.0 in Perth to 2.8 in Falkirk. In Glasgow the rate was 9.7 and in Edinburgh 8.8.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 8, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 4 more than in the previous week and respiratory 5 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 24, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 less than in the previous week, but the same as the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 25, being 2 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 15 were aged 0–6 days and 2 were aged 7–27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 307, and are 13 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 21, and are 2 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 23rd June 1959, was 13,409. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 58.7° being 2.2° above that for the previous week, and 2.6° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901–1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.89 inch, and the mean sunshine 22.7 hours.

# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified to the Department of Health for Scotland

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## BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 4th July 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 4th July 1959, the births of 1012 living children, and of 30 stillborn children, 496 marriages and 495 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.2 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 9.9 and the death-rate 9.9. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 29 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.5 less than in the previous week, but 1.0 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.9 more than in the previous week, but 2.8 below the average. The death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 0.6 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 17.7 in Ayr to 4.0 in Kirkcaldy. In Glasgow the rate was 9.3 and in Edinburgh 11.0.

There was I death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to whooping cough.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 4, of which 3 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 4 fewer than in the previous week and respiratory 5 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 16, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.3 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.2 less than in the previous week, and 0.3 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 22, being 3 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 12 were aged 0–6 days and 1 was aged 7–27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 310, and are 3 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 30, and are 9 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 30th June 1959, was 14,018. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 58.9° being 0.2° above that for the previous week, and 1.3° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.19 inches, and the mean sunshine 20.2 hours.

# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 4th JULY 1959

RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 30th JUNE 1959

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\*\* These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward . Weekly means. † Weekly extremes. area served by these offices. \* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisonally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland. | Estimated population at 31st December 1957.

### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

### BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES

### NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT THE ROYAL SOO

Week ended 11th July 1959

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 11th July 1959, the births of 1,025 living children, and of 22 stillborn children, 561 marriages and 499 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.5 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 11.2 and the death-rate 10.0. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 21 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.3 more than in the previous week, and 2.7 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 1.3 more than in the previous week, but 1.8 below the average. The death-rate is 0.1 more than in the previous week, and 0.3 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 12.9 in Aberdeen to 4.9 in Coatbridge. In Glasgow the rate was 10.5 and in Edinburgh 9.9

There was I death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to whooping cough.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 6, of which 4 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 2 more than in the previous week and respiratory 1 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 31, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.3 more than in the previous week, but the same as the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 29, being 7 more than in the previous week. Of these, 14 were aged 0–6 days and 6 were aged 7–27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 303, and are 7 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 33, and are 3 more than in the previous

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 7th July 1959, was 12,853. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 60.1° being 1.2° above that for the previous week, and 1.5° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.66 inch, and the mean sunshine 41.7 hours.

## RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified to the Department of Health for Scotland

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\* Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 11th JULY 1959

RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 7th JULY 1959

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<sup>\*\*</sup> These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward . Weekly means. † Weekly extremes. area served by these offices. \* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisonally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland. | Estimated population at 31st December 1957. \$ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza,

### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

### BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES

#### NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT

WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 18th July 1959

THE ROYAL SOCIETY
for the Promotion
OF HEALTH

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 18th July 1959, the births of 958 living children, and of 18 stillborn children, 494 marriages and 457 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 19.1 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 9.9 and the death-rate 9.1. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 18 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.4 less than in the previous week, and 0.2 below the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 1.3 less than in the previous week, and 5.6 below the average. The death-rate is 0.9 less than in the previous week, and 1.3 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 16.1 in Kilmarnock to 4.9 in Dundee. In Glasgow the rate was 9.3 and in Edinburgh 9.9

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 4, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 2 fewer than in the previous week but respiratory the same.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 27, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 less than in the previous week, but the same as the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 25, being 4 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 17 were aged 0–6 days and 4 were aged 7–27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 291, and are 12 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 21, and are 12 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 14th July 1959, was 11,328. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 57.9° being 2.2° below that for the previous week, and 1.2° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.74 inch, and the mean sunshine 34.8 hours.

WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 18th JULY 1959

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Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week Sickness Benefit in 1959\*\*

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These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward : Weekly means † Weekly extremes. area served by these offices. to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

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### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

### BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 25th July 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 25th July 1959, the births of 1,010 living children, and of 30 stillborn children, 724 marriages and 528 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.2 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 14.5 and the death-rate 10.6. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 29 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.1 more than in the previous week, and 1.1 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 4.6 more than in the previous week, and 4.0 above the average. The death-rate is 1.5 more than in the previous week, and 0.8 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 16.5 in Ayr to 3.8 in Perth. In Glasgow the rate was 11.6 and in Edinburgh 8.7.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 2, both of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. Each is 2 less than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 28, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 more than in the previous week, and 0.1 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 22, being 3 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 14 were aged 0–6 days and 1 was aged 7–27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 315, and are 24 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 28, and are 7 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 21st July 1959, was 11,436. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 62.2° being 4.3° above that for the previous week, and 4.3° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.06 inch, and the mean sunshine 50.4 hours.

# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified to the Department of Health for Scotland

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 25th JULY 1959

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These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward . Weekly means. area served by these offices WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL ROYAL COLLET SCOTLAND

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#### BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 1st August 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 1st August 1959, the births of 1,061 living children, and of 17 stillborn children, 445 marriages and 495 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 21.2 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 8.9 and the death-rate 9.9. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 16 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.0 more than in the previous week, and 3.I above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 5.6 less than in the previous week, and 1.4 below the average. The death-rate is 0.7 less than in the previous week, but 0.2 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 15.1 in Motherwell & Wishaw to 4.5 in Dunfermline. In Glasgow the rate was 10.4 and in Edinburgh 9.2.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 4, of which 3 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 2 more than in the previous week and respiratory 1 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 30, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.6 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 0.1 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 34, being 12 more than in the previous week. Of these, 24 were aged 0-6 days and 3 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 297, and are 18 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 18, and are 10 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 28th July 1959, was 10,366. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this teturn.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 59.2° being 3.0° below that for the previous week, but 1.2° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 2.13 inches, and the mean sunshine 20.6 hours.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERALDE HEALTH SCOTLAND

#### BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 8th August 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 8th August 1959, the births of 1,044 living children, and of 21 stillborn children, 524 marriages and 483 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.9 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 10.5 and the death-rate 9.7. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 20 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.3 less than in the previous week, but 3.0 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 1.6 more than in the previous week, and 0.3 above the average. The death-rate is 0.2 less than in the previous week, but 0.3 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 15.2 in Perth to 4.7 in Airdrie. In Glasgow the rate was 9.2 and in Edinburgh 11.7.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 8, of which 5 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 4 more than in the previous week and respiratory 2 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 23, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 less than in the previous week, but the same as the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 28, being 6 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 22 were aged 0-6 days and none was aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 284, and are 13 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 26, and are 8 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 4th August 1959, was 10,390. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 60.2° being 1.0° above that for the previous week, and 1.8° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.04 inch, and the mean sunshine 30.5 hours.

# RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES WEEKLY

RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASE notified to the Department of Health for Scotland

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### BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT

WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 15th August 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 15th August 1959, the births of 924 living children, and of 27 stillborn children, 368 marriages and 445 deaths. In the case of births, still-births and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 18.5 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 7.4 and the death-rate 8.9. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 28 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 2.4 less than in the previous week, but 0.1 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 3.1 less than in the previous week, and 1.1 below the average. The death-rate is 0.8 less than in the previous week, and 1.1 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 12.6 in Falkirk to 6.1 in Clydebank. In Glasgow the rate was 8.5 and in Edinburgh 10.4.

There was I death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to influenza. Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 4, of which 3 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 4 fewer than in the previous week and respiratory 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 22, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.4 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 less than in the previous week, and 0.1 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 20, being 8 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 12 were aged 0–6 days and 2 were aged 7–27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 284, and are the same as in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 24, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 11th August 1959, was 13,409. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 60.7° being 0.5° above that for the previous week, and 3.1° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901–1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.33 inch, and the mean sunshine 37.6 hours.

# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

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#### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

#### BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 22nd August 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 22nd August 1959, the births of 950 living children, and of 15 stillborn children, 386 marriages and 507 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 19.0 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 7.7 and the death-rate 10.1. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 16 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.5 more than in the previous week, and 0.6 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.3 more than in the previous week, but 1.5 below the average. The death-rate is 1.2 more than in the previous week, and 0.2 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 18.0 in Dunfermline to 3.1 in Clydebank. In Glasgow the rate was 10.1 and in Edinburgh 11.0.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 9, of which 7 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 5 more than in the previous week and respiratory 4 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 28, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.2 more than in the previous week, and 0.1 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 28, being 8 more than in the previous week. Of these, 14 were aged 0-6 days and 3 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 306, and are 22 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 26, and are 2 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 18th August 1959, was 13,180. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 63.5° being 2.8° above that for the previous week, and 6.8° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901–1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.08 inch, and the mean sunshine 44.1 hours.

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§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

### BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 29th August 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 29th August 1959, the births of 955 living children, and of 23 stillborn children, 430 marriages and 473 deaths. In the case of births, still-births and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 19.1 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 8.6 and the death-rate 9.5. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 24 per thousand total births registered (including still-born).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.1 more than in the previous week, and 1.1 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.9 more than in the previous week, but 1.1 below the average. The death-rate is 0.6 less than in the previous week, but the same as the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 14.0 in Greenock to 3.1 in Clydebank. In Glasgow the rate was 8.6 and in Edinburgh 8.5.

There were two deaths from the principal epidemic diseases. One was due to meningococcal meningitis and the other to whooping cough.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 5, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 4 fewer than in the previous week and respiratory 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 27, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 less than in the previous week, but 0.1 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 31, being 3 more than in the previous week. Of these, 15 were aged 0–6 days and 3 were aged 7–27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 287, and are 19 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 21, and are 5 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 25th August 1959, was 14,127. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 60.5° being 3.0° below that for the previous week, but 4.5° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901–1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.28 inch, and the mean sunshine 31.2 hours.

### RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified to the Department of Health for Scotland WEEKLY

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### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL POYAL SOCIETY

### INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 5th September 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 5th September 1959, the births of 926 living children, and of 23 stillborn children, 515 marriages and 481 deaths. In the case of births, still-births and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 18.5 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 10.3 and the death-rate 9.6. The number of still-births corresponds to a rate of 24 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.6 less than in the previous week, but 0.7 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 1.7 more than in the previous week, but 1.4 below the average. The death-rate is 0.1 more than in the previous week, but 0.3 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 15.8 in Mother-well & Wishaw to 7.8 in Dundee. In Glasgow the rate was 9.0 and in Edinburgh 9.7

There was I death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 5, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—the same as in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 24, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.5 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 0.1 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 22, being 9 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 14 were aged 0–6 days and 3 were aged 7–27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 282, and are 5 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 28, and are 7 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 1st September 1959, was 14,464. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 57.9° being 2.6° below that for the previous week, but 2.2° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901–1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.00 inch, and the mean sunshine 36.8 hours.

# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 5th SEPTEMBER 1959

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#### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

#### BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES

#### NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT

WEATHER REPORT THE ROYAL SOCIETY

Week ended 12th September 1959 for the Promotion

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 12th September 1959, the births of 938 living children, and of 20 stillborn children, 616 marriages and 430 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 18.7 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 12.3 and the death-rate 8.6. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 21 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.2 more than in the previous week, and 1.3 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 2.0 more than in the previous week, and 0.8 above the average. The death-rate is 1.0 less than in the previous week, and 1.4 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 15.4 in Falkirk to 4.7 in Airdrie. In Glasgow the rate was 8.5 and in Edinburgh 8.3.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 5, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—the same as in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 21, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.4 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 less than in the previous week, and 0.2 below

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 17, being 5 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 11 were aged 0-6 days and 2 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 273, and are 9 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 17, and are 11 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 8th September 1959, was 14,799. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 60.2° being 2.3° above that for the previous week, and 6.6° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901–1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.01 inch, and the mean sunshine 53.2 hours.

# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

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<sup>\*\*</sup> These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by these offices. 

\* Weekly means.

#### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

#### BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES

#### NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 19th September 1959

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 19th September 1959, the births of 895 living children, and of 24 stillborn children, 551 marriages and 463 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 17.9 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 11.0 and the death-rate 9.3. The number of still-births corresponds to a rate of 26 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.8 less than in the previous week, but the same as the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 1.3 less than in the previous week, and 0.6 below the average. The death-rate is 0.7 more than in the previous week, but 1.1 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 14.1 in Ayr to 4.2 in Falkirk. In Glasgow the rate was 10.1 and in Edinburgh 8.9.

There was I death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to whooping cough.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 9, of which 8 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 4 more than in the previous week and respiratory 3 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 26, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 more than in the previous week, but 0.1 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 19, being 2 more than in the previous week. Of these, 11 were aged 0-6 days and none was aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 280, and are 7 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 21, and are 4 more than in the previous

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 15th September 1959, was 15,745. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 53.6° being 6.6° below that for the previous week, but 1.5° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.00 inch, and the mean sunshine 20.3 hours.

RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES WEEKLY

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 19th SEPTEMBER 1959

RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 15th SEPTEMBER 1959

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|| Estimated population at 31st December 1957.

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to place of usual residence if in Scotland,



### BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 26th September 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 26th September 1959, the births of 887 living children, and of 16 stillborn children, 618 marriages and 523 deaths. In the case of births, still-births and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 17.7 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 12.4 and the death-rate 10.5. The number of still-births corresponds to a rate of 18 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.2 less than in the previous week, and 0.7 below the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 1.4 more than in the previous week, but 0.6 below the average. The death-rate is 1.2 more than in the previous week, but 0.7 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 15.7 in Dunfermline to 6.5 in Motherwell & Wishaw. In Glasgow the rate was 10.7 and in Edinburgh 11.1.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 3, of which 2 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. The number in each case is 6 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 33, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.2 more than in the previous week, but the same as the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 33, being 14 more than in the previous week. Of these, 22 were aged 0–6 days and none was aged 7–27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 301, and are 21 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 27, and are 6 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 22nd September 1959, was 16,581. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 55.1° being 1.5° above that for the previous week, and 2.6° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901–1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.74 inch, and the mean sunshine 24.2 hours.

# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified to the Department of Health for Scotland

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MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 26th SEPTEMBER 1959

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### INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 3rd October 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 3rd October 1959, the births of 1,075 living children, and of 25 stillborn children, 691 marriages and 502 deaths. In the case of births, still-births and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 21.5 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 13.8 and the death-rate 10.0. The number of still-births corresponds to a rate of 23 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 3.8 more than in the previous week, and 1.7 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 1.4 more than in the previous week, and 2.9 above the average. The death-rate is 0.5 less than in the previous week, and 1.9 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 14.1 in Ayr to 2.5 in Hamilton. In Glasgow the rate was 10.4 and in Edinburgh 10.2.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 4, of which 2 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 1 more than in the previous week but respiratory the same.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 38, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 more than in the previous week, but 0.3 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 17, being 16 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 6 were aged 0–6 days and 1 was aged 7–27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 313, and are 12 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 21, and are 6 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 29th September 1959, was 16,802. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 57.2° being 2.1° above that for the previous week, and 5.9° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901–1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.06 inch, and the mean sunshine 27.2 hours.

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#### BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT

WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 10th October 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 10th October 1959, the births of 997 living children, and of 24 stillborn children, 676 marriages and 534 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 19.9 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 13.5 and the death-rate 10.7. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 24 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.6 less than in the previous week, but 0.2 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.3 less than in the previous week, but 5.3 above the average. The death-rate is 0.7 more than in the previous week, but 1.1 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 13.3 in Clydebank to 4.7 in Airdrie. In Glasgow the rate was 10.8 and in Edinburgh 12.3.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 3, of which 2 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are I fewer than in the previous week but respiratory the same.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 43, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 more than in the previous week, but 0.1 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 27, being 10 more than in the previous week. Of these, 18 were aged 0-6 days and none was aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 289, and are 24 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 27, and are 6 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 6th October 1959, was 18,190. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 56.6° being 0.6° below that for the previous week, but 7.6° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.00 inch, and the mean sunshine 29.0 hours.

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\*\* These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward . Weekly means. area served by these othres. \* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisonally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland. | Betimated population at 31st December 1957.

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#### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

#### BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES

#### NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 17th October 1959

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 17th October 1959, the births of 1,012 living children, and of 26 stillborn children, 457 marriages and 500 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.2 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 9.1 and the death-rate 10.0. The number of still-births corresponds to a rate of 25 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.3 more than in the previous week, and 0.8 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 4.4 less than in the previous week, but 2.3 above the average. The death-rate is 0.7 less than in the previous week, and 1.4 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 14.9 in Kilmar-nock to 4.0 in Kirkcaldy. In Glasgow the rate was 10.4 and in Edinburgh 11.5.

There was I death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 5, of which 3 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 2 more than in the previous week and respiratory 1 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 25, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.4 less than in the previous week, and 0.5 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 27, being the same as in the previous week. Of these, 14 were aged 0-6 days and 4 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 322, and are 33 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 20, and are 7 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 13th October 1959, was 17,237. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 54.8° being 1.8° below that for the previous week, but 7.1° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.28 inches, and the mean sunshine 16.3 hours.

## RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified to the Department of Health for Scotland WEEKLY

17th October 1959

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 17th OCTOBER 1959

RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 13th OCTOBER 1959

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• Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisonally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

§ Estimated population at 31st December 1957.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenta.

<sup>\*\*</sup> These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons tesident in the landward area served by these offices.

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL the Premetion SCOTLAND

THE ROYAL SOCIETY

#### MARRIAGESRARY BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND INFECTIOUS DISEASES

#### NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 24th October 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 24th October 1959, the births of 959 living children, and of 28 stillborn children, 428 marriages and 523 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 19.2 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 8.6 and the death-rate 10.5. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 28 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.0 less than in the previous week, but 0.7 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.5 less than in the previous week, but 1.2 above the average. The death-rate is 0.5 more than in the previous week, but 0.5 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 13.8 in Kilmarnock and 5.9 in Coatbridge and in Ayr. In Glasgow the rate was 11.0 and in Edinburgh 12.5.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 2, both of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 3 fewer than in the previous week and respiratory 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 39, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.3 more than in the previous week, but the same as the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 28, being 1 more than in the previous week. Of these, 19 were aged 0-6 days and 3 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 331, and are 9 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 26, and are 6 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 20th October 1959, was 17,675. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 51.3° being 3.5° below that for the previous week, but 5.5° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.36 inches, and the mean sunshine 22.7 hours.

# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified to the Department of Health for Scotland

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 24th OCTOBER 1959

RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 20th OCTOBER 1959

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\*\* These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by these offices. \* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisonally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

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#### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL OF HEALTH **SCOTLAND**

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#### BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES

#### NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 31st October 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 31st October 1959, the births of 957 living children, and of 26 stillborn children, 425 marriages and 527 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 19.1 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 8.5 and the death-rate 10.5. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 26 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate of the week is 0.1 less than in the previous week, but 1.3 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.1 less than in the previous week, but 0.3 above the average. The death-rate is the same as in the previous week, and 0.7 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 20.3 in Perth to 5.6 in Dunfermline. In Glasgow the rate was 9.8 and in Edinburgh 11.2.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 5, of which 3 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 3 more than in the previous week, and respiratory I more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 30, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.2 less than in the previous week, and 0.3 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 30, being 2 more than in the previous week. Of these, 19 were aged 0-6 days and 3 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 292, and are 39 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 32, and are 6 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 27th October 1959, was 17,396. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 45.6° being 5.7° below that for the previous week, but 0.5° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.47 inches, and the mean sunshine 21.9 hours.

# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 31st OCTOBER 1959

RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 27th OCTOBER 1959

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#### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL. SCOTLAND

### BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 7th November 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 7th November 1959, the births of 897 living children, and of 22 stillborn children, 427 marriages and 540 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 17.9 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 8.5 and the death-rate 10.8. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 24 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.2 less than in the previous week, but 0.6 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 2.7 above the average. The death-rate is 0.3 more than in the previous week, but 1.0 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 20.0 in Ayr to 4.1 in Clydebank. In Glasgow the rate was 10.9 and in Edinburgh 10.5.

There was I death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to whooping cough.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 5, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are the same as in the previous week but respiratory are 2 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 40, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.2 more than in the previous week, but 0.1 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 28, being 2 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 15 were aged 0-6 days and 4 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 323, and are 31 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 24, and are 8 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 3rd November 1959, was 18,341. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 46.3° being 0.7° above that for the previous week, and 3.8° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.35 inch, and the mean sunshine 18.2 hours.

# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

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# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 14th November 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 14th November 1959, the births of 835 living children, and of 27 stillborn children, 254 marriages and 561 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 16.7 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 5.1 and the death-rate 11.2. The number of still-births corresponds to a rate of 31 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.2 less than in the previous week, and 0.8 below the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 3.4 less than in the previous week, but the same as the average. The death-rate is 0.4 more than in the previous week, but 0.5 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 13.4 in Edinburgh to 7.1 in Ayr. In Glasgow the rate was 11.5.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 7, of which 6 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 2 more than in the previous week and respiratory 1 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 36, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 less than in the previous week, and 0.2 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 19, being 9 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 13 were aged 0-6 days and 3 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 330, and are 7 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 24, and are the same as in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 10th November 1959, was 18,350. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 39.0° being 7.3° below that for the previous week, and 2.6° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.69 inches, and the mean sunshine 14.2 hours.

# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 14th NOVEMBER 1959

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<sup>||</sup> Estimated population at 31st December 1957. to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

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These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by these offices. Weekly means.

THE ROYAL SOCIETY OF HEALTH

### BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRY INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ending 21st November 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 21st November 1959, the births of 888 living children, and of 25 stillborn children, 272 marriages and 587 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 17.7 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 5.4 and the death-rate 11.7. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 27 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.0 more than in the previous week, but the same as the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.3 more than in the previous week, but 0.6 below the average. The death-rate is 0.5 more than in the previous week, but 0.5 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 19.0 in Perth to 8.0 in Greenock. In Glasgow the rate was 11.6 and in Edinburgh 13.1.

There was I death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 4, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 3 fewer than in the previous week and respiratory 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 46, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.2 more than in the previous week, but 0.1 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 41, being 22 more than in the previous week. Of these, 24 were aged 0-6 days and 4 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 348, and are 18 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 26, and are 2 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 17th November 1959, was 20,734. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 44.9° being 5.9° above that for the previous week, and 4.6° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.72 inches, and the mean sunshine 3.2 hours.

# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified to the Department of Health for Scotland

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 21st NOVEMBER 1959

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

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# INFECTIOUS DISEASES LIBRARY

# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 28th November 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 28th November 1959, the births of 910 living children, and of 35 stillborn children, 282 marriages and 614 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 18.2 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 5.6 and the death-rate 12.3. The number of still-births corresponds to a rate of 37 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.5 more than in the previous week, but 0.1 below the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.2 more than in the previous week, but 1.2 below the average. The death-rate is 0.6 more than in the previous week, and 0.1 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 19.0 in Perth to 7.8 in Coatbridge. In Glasgow the rate was 11.4 and in Edinburgh 14.5.

There were 2 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases. They were due to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 5, of which 4 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 1 more than in the previous week but respiratory are the same.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 64, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.3 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.4 more than in the previous week, and 0.2 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 37, being 4 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 14 were aged 0-6 days and 3 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 376, and are 28 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 26, and are the same as in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 24th November 1959, was 21,007. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 48.2° being 3.3° above that for the previous week, and 7.1° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.07 inches, and the mean sunshine 7.0 hours.

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 28th NOVEMBER 1959

RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 24th NOVEMBER 1959

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| Estimated population at 31st December 1937.
| Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

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EEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES

# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 5th December 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 5th December 1959, the births of 870 living children, and of 17 stillborn children, 386 marriages and 549 deaths. In the case of births, still-births and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 17.4 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 7.7 and the death-rate 11.0. The number of still-births corresponds to a rate of 19 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.8 less than in the previous week, and 0.6 below the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 2.1 more than in the previous week, and 0.5 above the average. The death-rate is 1.3 less than in the previous week, and 1.5 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 20.2 in Dunfermline to 1.4 in Falkirk. In Glasgow the rate was 10.8 and in Edinburgh 11.4.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 4, of which 3 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. The number in each case is 1 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 37, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.6 less than in the previous week, and 0.6 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 22, being 15 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 12 were aged 0-6 days and 3 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 336, and are 40 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 24, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 1st December 1959, was 19,828. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 39.0° being 9.2° below that for the previous week, and 1.6° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.90 inch, and the mean sunshine 6.8 hours.

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 5th DECEMBER 1959

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§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENEL SCOTLAND

## BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 12th December 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 12th December 1959, the births of 936 living children, and of 24 stillborn children, 318 marriages and 661 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 18.7 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 6.4 and the death-rate 13.2. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 25 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.3 more than in the previous week, and 0.6 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 1.3 less than in the previous week, and 0.2 below the average. The death-rate is 2.2 more than in the previous week, but 0.1 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 17.8 in Perth to 8.6 in Motherwell & Wishaw. In Glasgow the rate was 13.2 and in Edinburgh 12.1.

There were 2 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases. They were due to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 7, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 3 more than in the previous week and respiratory 4 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 59, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.5 more than in the previous week, but 0.2 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 23, being 1 more than in the previous week. Of these, 12 were aged 0-6 days and 3 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 422, and are 86 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 43, and are 19 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 8th December 1959, was 18,863. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 41.2° being 2.2° above that for the previous week, and 1.8° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.88 inch, and the mean sunshine 1.2 hours.

# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 12th DECEMBER 1959

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\*\* These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance \* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisonally corrected by transfer || Estimated population at 31st December 1957. to place of usual residence if in Scotland. | Estimated population at 31st December 1957.

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# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ending 19th December 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 19th December 1959, the births of 862 living children, and of 23 stillborn children, 289 marriages and 626 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 17.2 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 5.8 and the death-rate 12.5. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 26 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate of the week is 1.5 less than in the previous week, and 1.0 below the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.6 less than in the previous week, and 2.0 below the average. The death-rate is 0.7 less than in the previous week, and 1.1 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 21.2 in Ayr to 9.0 in Kirkcaldy. In Glasgow the rate was 11.2 and in Edinburgh 15.2.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 5, of which 3 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 2 fewer than in the previous week and respiratory 4 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 44, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.3 less than in the previous week, and 0.5 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 33, being 10 more than in the previous week. Of these, 21 were aged 0-6 days and 3 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 380, and are 42 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 20, and are 23 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 15th December 1959, was 19,292. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 41.8° being 0.6° above that for the previous week, and 2.6° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.97 inch, and the mean sunshine 5.6 hours.

# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified to the Department of Health for Scotland

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 19th DECEMBER 1959

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### WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL OF HEALTH SCOTLAND

## BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 26th December 1959

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 26th December 1959, the births of 705 living children, and of 20 stillborn children, 395 marriages and 607 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 14.1 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 7.9 and the death-rate 12.1. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 28 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 3.1 less than in the previous week, and 4.0 below the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 2.1 more than in the previous week, but 5.7 below the average. The death-rate is 0.4 less than in the previous week, and 1.5 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 18.4 in Kilmarnock to 7.9 in Motherwell & Wishaw. In Glasgow the rate was 11.6 and in Edinburgh 13.0.

There were 3 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases. Two were due to

whooping cough and 1 to meningococcal meningitis.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 6, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 1 more than in the previous week and respiratory 3 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 60, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.3 more than in the previous week, but 0.3 below the average...

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 30, being 3 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 11 were aged 0-6 days and 1 was aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 365, and are 15 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 26, and are 6 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 22nd December 1959, are not available. These will be included in next week's return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 39.7° being 2.8° below that for the previous week, but 0.8° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 2.27 inches, and the mean sunshine 3.4 hours.

# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified to the Department of Health for Scotland

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 26th DECEMBER 1959

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Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward \*\* These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance . Weekly means. area served by these offices.

\* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisonally corrected by transfer

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WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES INFECTIOUS DISEASES

# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 2nd January 1960

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 2nd January 1960, the births of 857 living children, and of 22 stillborn children, 632 marriages and 614 deaths. In the case of births, still-births and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 17.1 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 12.6 and the death-rate 12.3. The number of still-births corresponds to a rate of 25 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 3.0 more than in the previous week, but 1.0 below the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 4.7 more than in the previous week, but 1.0 below the average. The death-rate is 0.2 more than in the previous week, but 1.3 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 15.1 in Mother-well & Wishaw and Hamilton to 3.9 in Coatbridge. In Glasgow the rate was 12.8 and in Edinburgh 13.5.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases numbered 3 and are the same as in the previous week. They were due to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 5, of which 4 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms were 1 fewer than in the previous week and respiratory 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 64, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.3 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 more than in the previous week, but 0.2 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 33, being 3 more than in the previous week. Of these, 20 were aged 0-6 days and 3 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 380, and are 15 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 28, and are 2 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the period (two weeks) ended 29th December 1959, was 29,797. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 41.5° being 1.8° above that for the previous week, and 4.6° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.32 inches, and the mean sunshine 8.0 hours.

# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified to the Department of Health for Scotland

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RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 2nd JANUARY 1960

RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR PERIOD ENDED 29th DECEMBER 1959

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	Rainfall in Inches	(29) 1-11 0-74 0-86 1-52 1-52 1-52 1-52 1-52 1-52	1.32‡	2.27‡	1.46‡
rure r.	Mean Temperature (av-	(28) 41:3 42:3 40:8 40:0 41:0 63:0 73:0 73:0 73:0 73:0 73:0 73:0 73:0 7	41.5‡	39.7‡	39.1‡
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18	Violence	(24) 100 100 111 1111 1111 1111 1111 1111	28	26	27
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13.1	Other Respiratory Diseases	(5) 4 - 1 c : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :	36	33	42
1	Pneumonia	(50) 118 38 11 : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :	28	27	27
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THE PERSON	Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1958	(2) 469,800 186,500 186,500 96,900 78,200 78,200 55,300 44,300 44,300 41,500 31,300	2,608,800 857	2,608,800 705	2,598,900 911
	TOWNS	(1) 1. Glasgow 2. Edinburgh 3. Aberdeen 4. Dundee 6. Greenock 7. Motherwell 8. Wishaw 8. Kirkcaldy 9. Coabridge 10. Dunfermline 11. Clydebank 12. Ayr 13. Kilmarnock 14. Perth 15. Hamilton 16. Falkirk 17. Airdrie	TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 2nd Jan. 1960	26th Dec. 1959	3rd Jan. 1959 .

Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisonally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

\*\* These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward